

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Hiroyuki UWAZUMI, *et al.*

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AMENDMENT & REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION
WITH CLAIM FEE

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated 20 March 2007, this application has been amended as indicated below. This reply is timely. This reply requires a claim fee.

The present Amendment introduces 4 additional independent claims that require a fee of \$800. The required fee is addressed in the EFS-WEB generated fee transmittal. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees required to maintain pendency of this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-2056.